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## MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Tennessee Army National Guard (TNARNG) Personnel Policy for Retired Regular Army Warrant Officer Accessions into the TNARNG

## 1. References:

- a. PPOM 21-056 (Retired Regular Army Warrant Officers Serving in the Army National Guard), 15 December 2021
- b. Army Directive 2021-28 (Retired Regular Army Warrant Officers Serving in the Ready Reserve), 01 July 2021
- c. SMOM 22-03 (Accession of Retired Regular Army Warrant Officers into the Army National Guard), 04 March 2022
- d. National Guard Regulation 600-101(Warrant Officers Federal Recognition and Related Personnel Actions), 10 September 2018
- 2. Purpose. This policy provides implementation guidance to appoint Retired Regular Army (RA) Warrant Officers (WO) as Tennessee Army National Guard (TNARNG) WOs with retention on the U.S. Army Retired List.
- 3. Applicability. This policy applies to Retired RA WOs who are on the Regular Army (RA) Retired List. It does not apply to Retired Reserve Component (RC) Commissioned Officers or Retired Active Guard and Reserve (AGR) Commissioned Officers and WOs. Appointment may only occur following the established guidance and policies in references 1a, 1b, and 1c.
- a. The TNARNG Command Chief Warrant Officer (CCWO) will identify critical vacancies and/or gaps in the TNARNG WO Cohort and publish those MOS's for all Military Personnel Management Offices of all US Army Active-Duty Commands in coordination with Deputy Chief of Staff G1 (DSC/G1) Human Resources Command (HRC). The list of MOS's that the TNARNG will accept RA WOs into will be published in MILPER message updates and periodically on S1net at the discretion of the State Command Chief Warrant Officer (CCWO).
- b. Retired RA WOs may only apply for published vacancies by contacting the TNARNG Warrant Officer Strength Manager (WOSM). Once the WOSM has a complete and approved packet, the WOSM will coordinate with TNARNG Officer

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Personnel Branch for the Retired RA WO to be accessed into the TNARNG. Final approval for accessions into TNARNG is The Adjutant General (TAG) under advisement of National Guard Bureau (NGB) and the State CCWO.

- c. Retired RA WOs will only be accepted into TNARNG for an initial three-year tour. Continuation after the initial tour will be granted on a case-by-case basis, with The TAG serving as the approval authority for continuation. Continuation after the reappointed WO's initial tour will be based on the needs of the TNARNG and performance of the reappointed WO. Preferred ranks for accession are W2 and W3. Retired WOs in the rank of W4 will be accessed by exception and at the discretion of the State CCWO. No W5's will be accepted.
- 4. Point of contact for this memorandum is TNARNG CCWO, CW5 David Ward, at <a href="mailto:david.l.ward14.mil@army.mil">david.l.ward14.mil@army.mil</a>, or TNARNG WOSM, CW2 Nykeah Williams, at <a href="mailto:ng.tn.tnarng.mbx.ngtn-tnarng-wosm@army.mil">ng.tn.tnarng.mbx.ngtn-tnarng-wosm@army.mil</a>.

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- 1. PPOM 21-056, 15 December 2021
- 2. Army Directive 2021-28, 01 July 2021

3. SMOM 22-03, 04 March 2022

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